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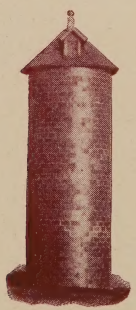
THE PATENT SUCCESS SILOS AND GRAIN TANK BLOCKS



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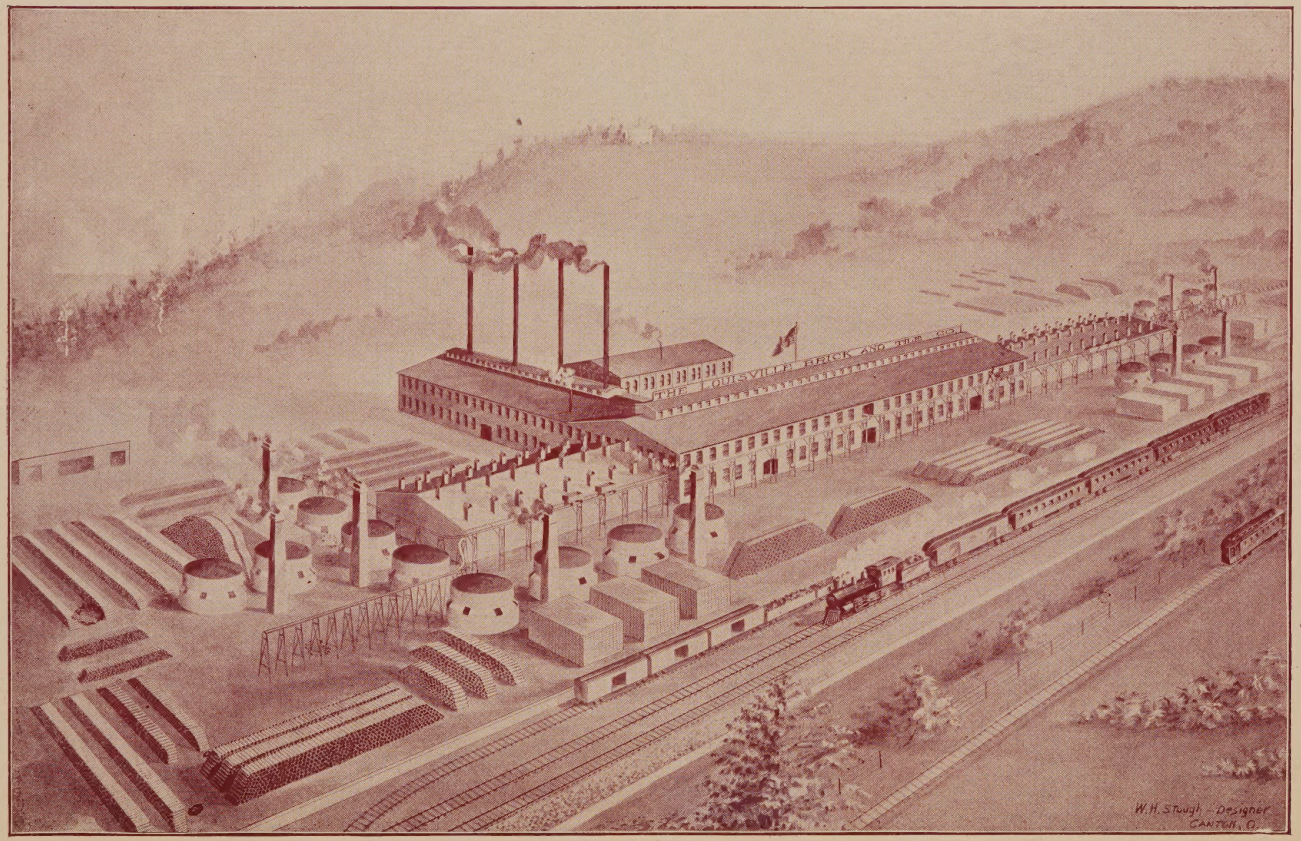
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IT AFFORDS us pleasure to present to the public our third descriptive catalog in reference to our Silo and Grain Tank material.

Looking to the improvement over all other material, we believe our efforts will be thoroughly appreciated by you.

We sincerely thank the users of our material who have made our success so gratifying; and by faithful adherence to the true principles of manufacturing, carefully selected fire clay, honest dealings and fair prices, we hope to merit your patronage.

Respectfully,

The Louisville Brick and Tile Co.

To the Farmer

The American farmer who proposes to prosper and develop his stock and dairy product at the least possible cost requires a **Success** Silo.

There is more money in net results—

Secured by investing in a Silo than in any other improvement or building ever placed on the farm, and this assertion is backed up by every Experiment Station throughout the country, by the people, you as tax payers are supporting, by men who have the means at hand and appliances to carry forward experiments in the most exhaustive manner, and their unanimous testimony as well as our experience, support the following well-known facts:

I. That a cubic foot in a Silo will carry over double the nutrients a cubic foot in your hay-mow will carry; that a Silo should at all times be built round; that the wall surface has a greater capacity than any other shape.

II. That Indian Corn grown in a large portion of the United States, a crop that carries 40 per cent of its nutrients in the stalks, leaves and husks, a crop that will yield from 10 to 25 tons to the acre, may be, by the use of a Silo, all consumed and all of it put in such condition that it is relished by stock equally as well as June grass; and by the reason of its heavy yield and its succulency, 25 to 40 per cent more stock may be carried with better results than under those methods of feeding dry grain and dry fodder, and at a reduction in cost of from 25 to 40 per cent.

III. That the fermentation following the filling of the Silo is practically one of the first steps in digestion; "the corn plant is predigested" as some authorities put it, enabling the animal (machine) to consume larger quantities, to assimilate what they consume easier, to give them better health on account of its nature, to give practically to the user of silage, June grass in the winter or droughty months, a combined grist mill and feed cooker, as the corn by reason of fermentation the grains of corn are cooked soft, and the fact that pigs following stock fed on ensilage heavily grained will be found in a starving condition is an object lesson that every feeder would understand at sight.

IV. That the corn crop handled through the Silo from field to cow or steer costs less money per acre, leaves the field clean early in the fall, at a time of year when the days are not so extremely short, all housed and accessible in any kind of weather, eliminates all danger from spontaneous combus-

tion and the feeder saves the nutrients in the corn plant which under ordinary conditions are almost entirely lost; that the material which under old-fashioned methods is hauled to the feed yard, the stock rejects three-quarters or more of it, it is trampled into the manure and then has to be moved again. Not one year in five can corn fodder be safely shredded as the material does not get dry enough; then there is labor and expense nearly or quite double siloing the crop.

V. Clover may be saved in catchy weather and fed out in August or September and the corn ensilage packed on top of it; oats, hay and peas may also be placed in the Silo; in fact, almost any crop may be saved, but those carrying straw, like oats, should be cut and thoroughly tramped to get the air out of the straw.

VI. Corn ensilage with clover, alfalfa, soy beans, cow peas or oat and pea hay fed dry gives to the owner of the Silo a balanced ration, cutting out the expense of bran and other commercial feeds, which are getting higher each year and some of our friends claim they are also getting poorer.

VII. Adding to the fertility of the farm, as the users of Silos find they can carry much more stock than formerly and an increase in the amount of stock means greater fertility to the farm and in the use of corn ensilage, 10 to 20 tons to the acre easily secured the saving in the corn plant, which fed instead of hay not only secures better results from the stock, but the hay usually fed out may be converted into cash, oftentimes covering the first cost of Silo, as many have attested.

VIII. Our winters are long and severe, and cattle must be confined in close stables for many months each year; this true, there is need of variety to the feed which they receive, and a succulent feed of some character is of great importance to the highest degree of healthfulness in animals. By means of the Silo and the corn plant we are able to have a succulent feed for our stock in winter at extremely low cost for production.

The method of supplying food for cattle is gradually changing. Formerly ensilage was considered a winter food only, but the last few years have seen a marked change. The most successful and progressive farmers and dairymen now feed ensilage the greater portion of the year, depending on the pasture only two or three months at most.

In this country we suffer from intense heat in mid-summer, and our pastures are often shortened to nothing because of drouths. When we are fully civilized we will have feed ready to carry our live stock over these drouths, and we will not allow the heat and flies to so annoy the animals as to cut down a large part of our possible profits. Dry forage is unpalatable in summer time, and root crops cannot be made available, even if we desire them. Our only safe reliance for mid-summer feeding must be the Silo.

Our Product A Success

The Patent Circular Interlocking Frameless-Door Silos

Our product is manufactured from a superior quality of fire-clay which produces vitrified material.

This material will not absorb moisture and guaranteed not to decay or be affected by the frost.

Our SUCCESS IDEAL SILO is erected of blocks, outside measurements, 8 in. x 16 in. x 8 in., while the IMPROVED SUCCESS SILO is built of blocks 8 in. x 8 in. x 15½ in.; each weighing, including the interlocking clamps, 40 pounds per block. A Silo may be erected from 8 to 16 ft. inside diameter, and to any height. The only wood used in their construction is the doors, which are supplied in the best of material and which can be replaced in course of time and the Silo will be as good as the day it was built.

A SUCCESS SILO is not a temporary improvement to your property such as a concrete or wooden one, but is an improvement as permanent as any building you can erect.

Should the reader properly erect a Silo of our kind he will be pleased and later on will advise that were he to build another it would be one of our make.

Why the Success Frameless Silo is Superior to Any Other Silo

1. This material is thoroughly vitrified and absolutely frost proof and does not absorb any moisture from the ensilage like that of a Wooden, Cement or Concrete Silo.

2. We require no bands, which with a Wooden Silo it is necessary to tighten and loosen and which are liable to rust through and burst.

3. A Silo of our product requires no painting, which is not a small expense. Furthermore, requires no pitching or coating on the inside, which has proven a detriment to the flavor of the ensilage, and if it affects the flavor of the ensilage it will positively taint the milk.

4. Our vitrified material, which is impervious to moisture, will not allow the nutrient of the ensilage to crystalize on the wall like it would in a cement or concrete Silo which will absorb a certain amount of moisture.

5. Owing to our blocks being hollow, a Silo erected of our material forms continuous dead air chambers which gives you a frost proof Silo. Owing to the dead air chambers we claim that during the summer and mild winter months it maintains a lower temperature than any other which aids greatly in the keeping of the ensilage during the warmer months.

6. In erecting a Silo of our material it is not necessary to build an expensive foundation to the grade line but with our Silo you can start to build below the floor line of stable or as it may be most convenient to the user, and when a solid footing can be secured below the frost line, we recommend a trench at least 12 in. in width and about 6 in. deep be made and filled with concrete on which to place Silo; but in all cases foundation must be started below frost line.

7. A Silo of our material can be erected to any height as owing to the weight and the manner in which the blocks are interlocked there is positively no danger of them being blown over by storms.

Instructions for the Construction of the Improved Success Silo

READ IT CAREFULLY

A Silo of our product can be constructed by any practical mason. We recommend the use of ¼-in. mortar joints. Mortar to be made of two parts Portland cement and three parts sharp sand, and this should be used very stiff so that block is held in suspense to allow proper settling of block.

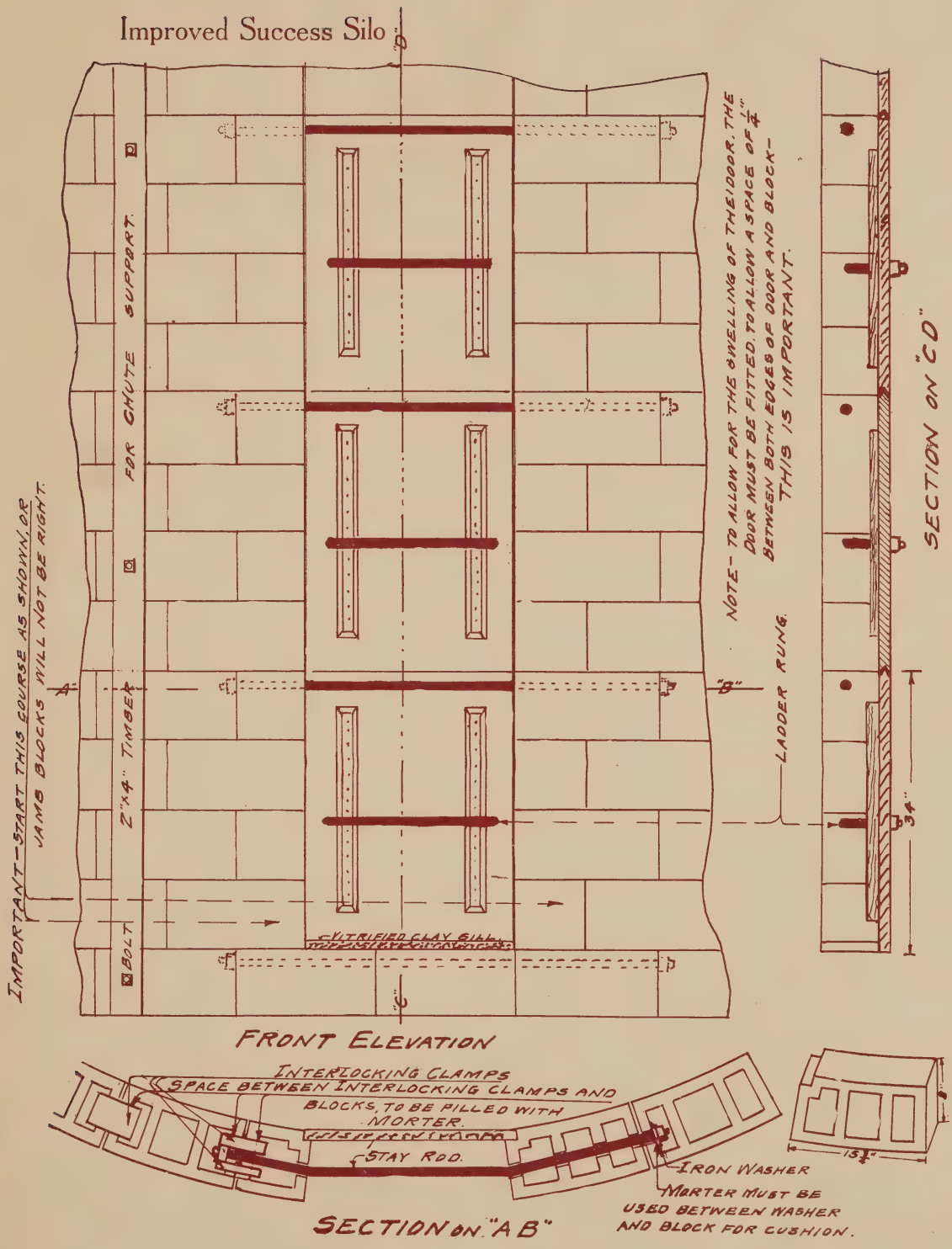
When foundation is made it should be at least 2 in. larger both in inside and outside of wall than the block which is 8 in. in thickness. This gives a 12 in. footing which must be perfectly level. Then place the first course of the regular blocks (without the use of mortar) ¼-in. apart, with the blocks all turned one way. This is indicated on the block by having three mortar anchors, or creases, on one end and two at the other. By this you will be able to form the circle in a practical manner. Then after your circle is completed, remove a block, place mortar on the foundation and over the entire head of block and when next block is treated in same manner this will insure a solid head joint. Continue this until the entire first course is properly laid in mortar. Now apply mortar over the vertical joints and also on inner surface of clamps and place same in position, pressing same down firmly. After all clamps are so placed you are ready for next course. Care must be taken that the entire bearing surface of each block is properly covered with mortar.

You will notice by cut on page 11 an anchor rod below the door which passes through three blocks and into adjoining block at each side. You will also notice a stay rod every four courses. These rods reach over into second block. All rods are provided with nut and iron washer. DO NOT FAIL to put mortar between washer and block so that when nut is slightly tightened there still remains some mortar in between washer and block, which, when allowed to harden will form a perfect stay. Notice the location of the rods on cut page 11 in catalog. Also notice the importance of starting the laying of the first two jamb blocks on same page.

We recommend placing a door in position before setting second jamb block in first course in doorway, so that the proper space is allowed for the swelling of the door, which is ¼-in. between each edge of door and jamb blocks. All Silos are calculated six courses below the door.

As to proper scaffolding, we refer you to cut page 24.

If you follow up these instructions and also study the drawings in catalog which is all for your proper guidance, you will NOT GO WRONG.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2"x4" TIMBER
FOR CHUTE SUPPORT.
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NOTE—TO ALLOW FOR THE SWELLING OF THE DOOR, THE DOOR MUST BE FITTED TO ALLOW A SPACE OF 1/4" BETWEEN BOTH EDGES OF DOOR AND BLOCK—THIS IS IMPORTANT.
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SECTION ON "CD"
34"
FRONT ELEVATION
INTERLOCKING CLAMPS
SPACE BETWEEN INTERLOCKING CLAMPS AND BLOCKS, TO BE FILLED WITH MORTER.
STAY ROD.
IRON WASHER
MORTER MUST BE USED BETWEEN WASHER AND BLOCK FOR CUSHION.
15"
SECTION ON "AB"

The following is a table showing the amount of material it requires to erect any of the following size IMPROVED SUCCESS SILOS; number of blocks in one course, courses in height, net total of blocks with sufficient deducted for continuous doorway starting 4 ft., or six courses, from bottom of Silo; also capacity in tons.

Inside Dia. of Silo Feet	Height Feet	Blocks for One Course	Courses High	Net Total	Capacity in Tons
8	18 ft. 5 in.	22	26	565	19
8	21 ft. 3 in.	22	30	640	21
8	24 ft. 1 in.	22	34	725	24
8	26 ft. 11 in.	22	38	815	27
8	29 ft. 9 in.	22	42	900	30
8	32 ft. 7 in.	22	46	985	33
9	24 ft. 1 in.	25	34	835	30
9	26 ft. 11 in.	25	38	930	34
9	29 ft. 9 in.	25	42	1025	38
9	32 ft. 7 in.	25	46	1125	42
9	35 ft. 5 in.	25	50	1215	46
9	38 ft. 3 in.	25	54	1315	49
10	24 ft. 1 in.	27	34	900	38
10	26 ft. 11 in.	27	38	1010	42
10	29 ft. 9 in.	27	42	1110	47
10	32 ft. 7 in.	27	46	1215	51
10	35 ft. 5 in.	27	50	1320	56
10	38 ft. 3 in.	27	54	1425	60
10	41 ft. 1 in.	27	58	1514	64
11	24 ft. 1 in.	30	34	1005	45
11	26 ft. 11 in.	30	38	1120	51
11	29 ft. 9 in.	30	42	1235	57
11	32 ft. 7 in.	30	46	1355	62
11	35 ft. 5 in.	30	50	1470	69
11	38 ft. 3 in.	30	54	1590	73
11	41 ft. 1 in.	30	58	1700	78
11	43 ft. 11 in.	30	62	1820	83

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Inside Dia. of Silo Feet	Height Feet	Blocks for One Course	Courses High	Net Total	Capacity in Tons
12	24 ft. 1 in.	32	34	1075	54
12	26 ft. 11 in.	32	38	1195	60
12	29 ft. 9 in.	32	42	1320	67
12	32 ft. 7 in.	32	46	1445	73
12	35 ft. 5 in.	32	50	1570	79
12	38 ft. 3 in.	32	54	1695	86
12	41 ft. 1 in.	32	58	1820	92
12	43 ft. 11 in.	32	62	1945	99
13	26 ft. 11 in.	34	38	1270	72
13	29 ft. 9 in.	34	42	1405	79
13	32 ft. 7 in.	34	46	1540	86
13	35 ft. 5 in.	34	50	1670	94
13	38 ft. 3 in.	34	54	1788	101
13	41 ft. 1 in.	34	58	1935	109
13	43 ft. 11 in.	34	62	2055	116
14	26 ft. 11 in.	37	38	1385	82
14	29 ft. 9 in.	37	42	1530	91
14	32 ft. 7 in.	37	46	1715	100
14	35 ft. 5 in.	37	50	1820	109
14	38 ft. 3 in.	37	54	1955	118
14	41 ft. 1 in.	37	58	2110	127
14	43 ft. 11 in.	37	62	2250	136
15	26 ft. 11 in.	39	38	1460	95
15	29 ft. 9 in.	39	42	1615	105
15	32 ft. 7 in.	39	46	1770	115
15	35 ft. 5 in.	39	50	1925	125
15	38 ft. 3 in.	39	54	2075	135
15	41 ft. 1 in.	39	58	2255	144
15	43 ft. 11 in.	39	62	2362	154
16	26 ft. 11 in.	42	38	1575	108
16	29 ft. 9 in.	42	42	1740	119
16	32 ft. 7 in.	42	46	1920	130
16	35 ft. 5 in.	42	50	2070	142
16	38 ft. 3 in.	42	54	2225	153
16	41 ft. 1 in.	42	58	2400	164
16	43 ft. 11 in.	42	62	2615	176

Instructions for the Construction of the Success Ideal Silo

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A Silo of our product can be constructed by any practical mason. We recommend the use of ¼-in. mortar joints. Mortar to be made of two parts Portland Cement and three parts sharp sand, and this should be used very stiff so that the block is held in suspense to allow proper settling of block.

When foundation is made it should be at least 2 in. larger in inside and outside of wall than the block, which is 8 in. in thickness. This gives a 12 in. footing which must be perfectly level; then place the first course of regular blocks (without the use of mortar) ¼-in. apart. By this you will be able to form the circle in a practical manner. After your circle is completed, remove one block at a time, place mortar on the foundation and over the entire vertical surface of the block and when the next block is treated in the same way this will insure a solid vertical joint, which is very important. Continue this until the entire first course is properly laid in mortar. Now apply mortar over vertical joints and also on inner surface of clamps and place same in position pressing same down firmly. After all clamps are so placed, you are ready for next course. Care must be taken that the entire bearing surface of each block is properly covered with mortar.

You will notice by cut on page 15 an anchor rod below the door which passes through five blocks and into adjoining block at each side. You will also notice a stay rod every two courses; these rods reach over into second block. All rods are provided with nuts and iron washer. DO NOT FAIL to put mortar between washer and block, so that when nut is slightly tightened there still remains some mortar in between washer and block, which when allowed to harden will form a perfect stay. Notice the location of the rods in cut page 15 in catalog. Also notice the importance of starting the laying of the first two jamb blocks on same page.

We recommend placing a door in position before setting second jamb block in first course in doorway, so that the proper space is allowed for the swelling of the door, which is ¼-in. between each edge of door and jamb block.

All Silos are calculated three courses below the door.

As to proper scaffolding, we refer you to cut page 24.

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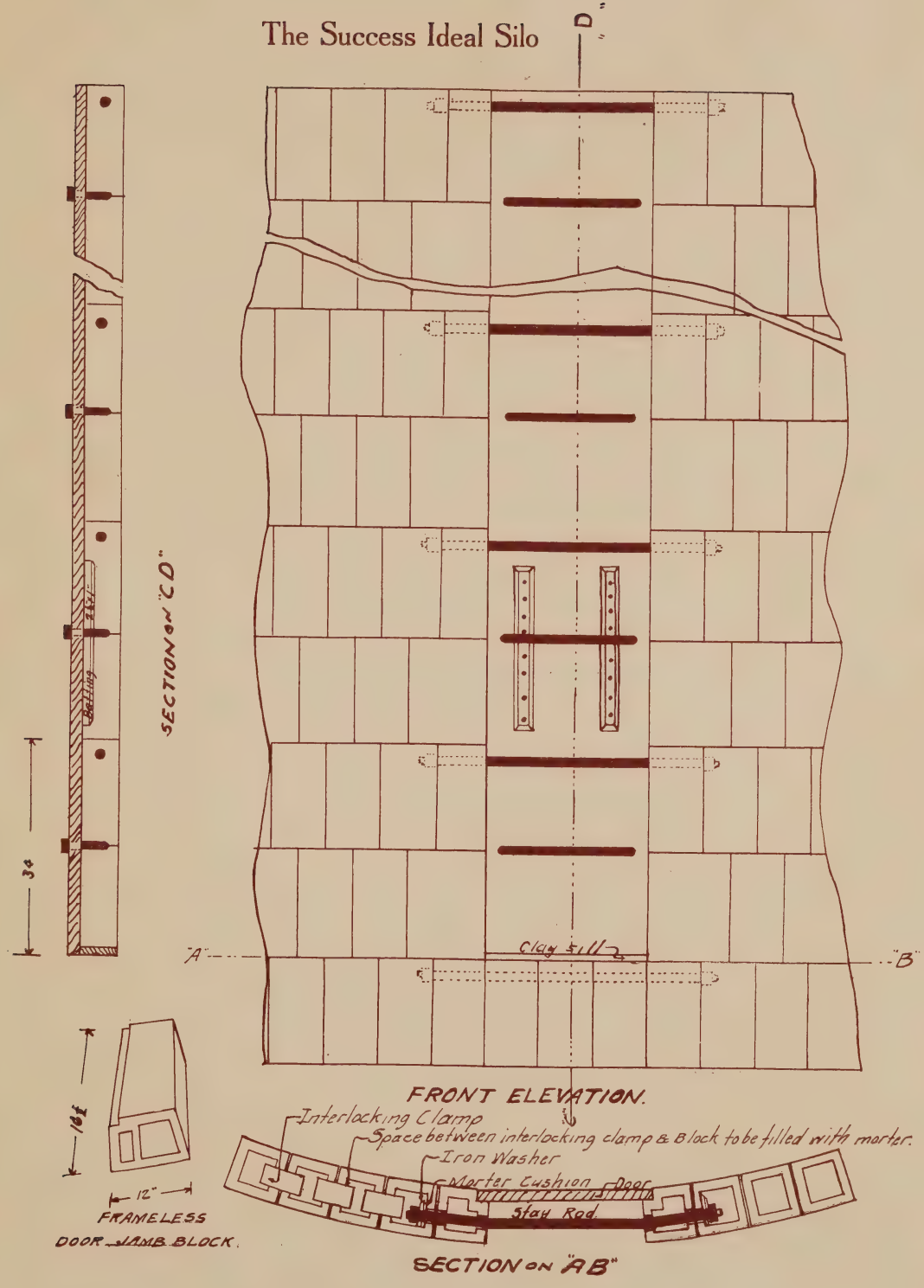
The Success Ideal Silo



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Inside Dia. of Silo Feet	Height Feet	Blocks for One Course	Courses High	Net Total	Capacity in Tons
8	18 ft. 5 in.	43	13	535	19
8	21 ft. 3 in.	43	15	615	21
8	24 ft. 1 in.	43	17	695	24
8	26 ft. 11 in.	43	19	775	27
8	29 ft. 9 in.	43	21	855	30
8	32 ft. 7 in.	43	23	940	33
9	24 ft. 1 in.	48	17	780	30
9	26 ft. 11 in.	48	19	875	34
9	29 ft. 9 in.	48	21	965	38
9	32 ft. 7 in.	48	23	1055	42
9	35 ft. 5 in.	48	25	1145	46
9	38 ft. 3 in.	48	27	1235	49
10	24 ft. 1 in.	52	17	850	38
10	26 ft. 11 in.	52	19	950	42
10	29 ft. 9 in.	52	21	1050	47
10	32 ft. 7 in.	52	23	1150	51
10	35 ft. 5 in.	52	25	1245	56
10	38 ft. 3 in.	52	27	1340	60
10	41 ft. 1 in.	52	29	1440	64
11	24 ft. 1 in.	57	17	935	45
11	26 ft. 11 in.	57	19	1045	51
11	29 ft. 9 in.	57	21	1155	57
11	32 ft. 7 in.	57	23	1260	62
11	35 ft. 5 in.	57	25	1370	67
11	38 ft. 3 in.	57	27	1480	73
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12	43 ft. 11 in.	62	31	1850	99
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13	29 ft. 9 in.	67	21	1365	79
13	32 ft. 7 in.	67	23	1490	86
13	35 ft. 5 in.	67	25	1620	94
13	38 ft. 3 in.	67	27	1750	101
13	41 ft. 1 in.	67	29	1875	109
13	43 ft. 11 in.	67	31	2005	116
14	26 ft. 11 in.	72	19	1330	82
14	29 ft. 9 in.	72	21	1470	91
14	32 ft. 7 in.	72	23	1605	100
14	35 ft. 5 in.	72	25	1745	109
14	38 ft. 3 in.	72	27	1885	118
14	41 ft. 1 in.	72	29	2020	127
14	43 ft. 11 in.	72	31	2160	136
15	26 ft. 11 in.	77	19	1425	95
15	29 ft. 9 in.	77	21	1575	105
15	32 ft. 7 in.	77	23	1720	115
15	35 ft. 5 in.	77	25	1870	125
15	38 ft. 3 in.	77	27	2020	135
15	41 ft. 1 in.	77	29	2165	144
15	43 ft. 11 in.	77	31	2315	154
16	26 ft. 11 in.	82	19	1520	108
16	29 ft. 9 in.	82	21	1680	119
16	32 ft. 7 in.	82	23	1840	130
16	35 ft. 5 in.	82	25	1995	142
16	38 ft. 3 in.	82	27	2155	153
16	41 ft. 1 in.	82	29	2310	164
16	43 ft. 11 in.	82	31	2470	176

Table

The following is an estimate as to the size Silo and average Acres of Corn required for six months, or 180 days; feeding from 38 to 40 lbs. of ensilage a day, per head:

Number of Cows	Amount Consumed in Tons	Size of Silo	Average Acres of Corn Required
6	20	8 x 20	1 to 2
9	30	8 x 30 / 9 x 25	2 to 3
13	45	9 x 35 / 10 x 30	3 to 4
17	58	10 x 35 / 11 x 30	4 to 5
21	74	11 x 40 / 12 x 35	5 to 6
25	90	12 x 40 / 13 x 35	6 to 7
30	108	13 x 40 / 14 x 35	8 to 9
35	126	14 x 40 / 15 x 35	9 to 10
40	144	15 x 40 / 16 x 35	10 to 11
45	162	15 x 45 / 16 x 40	11 to 12
50	180	15 x 50 / 16 x 45	12 to 13

Capacity of Silo

To arrive at the capacity of a Silo, multiply diameter by the height and this by one-fourth the diameter, dividing this by 16, which will give the capacity in tons, but where material is cut fine and Silo is filled slowly, it will exceed this estimate a little.

The following are a few photographs and testimonials of the many highly pleased purchasers of our material. Read them carefully and if you contemplate buying a Silo *for your sake* do not pass by the SUCCESS SILO, but make a thorough investigation and consider the value of a Silo which, after it is built, requires no paint or in fact no expense or care for a life time; and which can be taken down and re-erected should change of location be desired.

F. C. Yoder, Erected 1905.

L. J. Krabill, Erected 1905.

Lawrence Paumier, Erected 1908.

C. T. Brooks, Erected 1908.

Henry Wick, Erected 1908.

Jos. Burger, Erected 1908.

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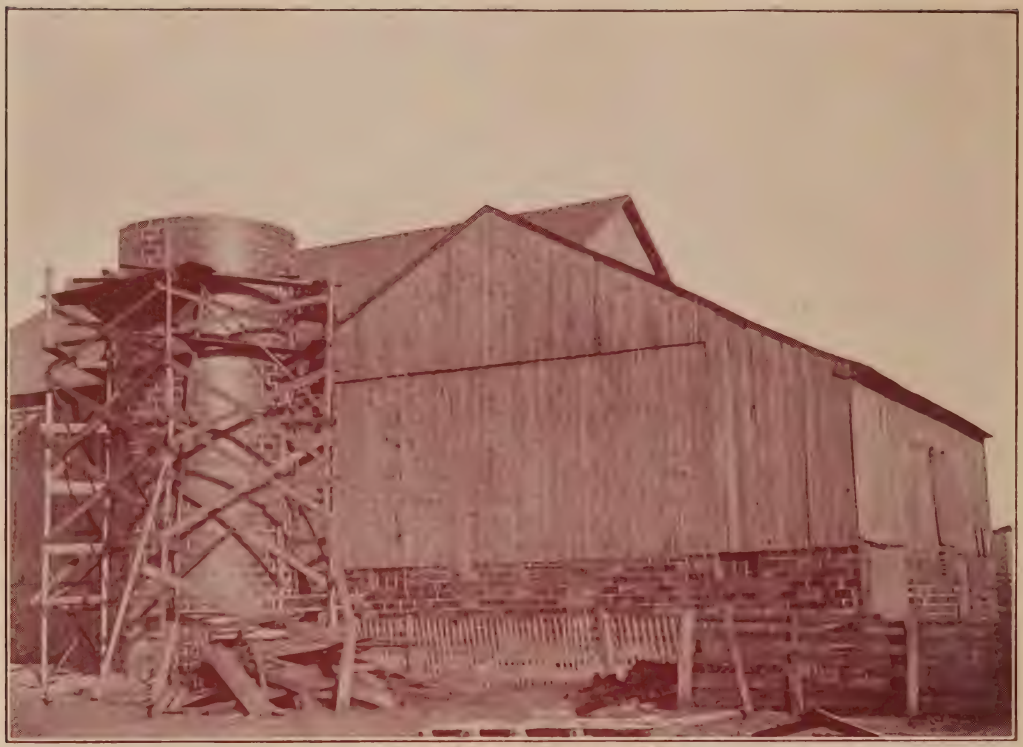

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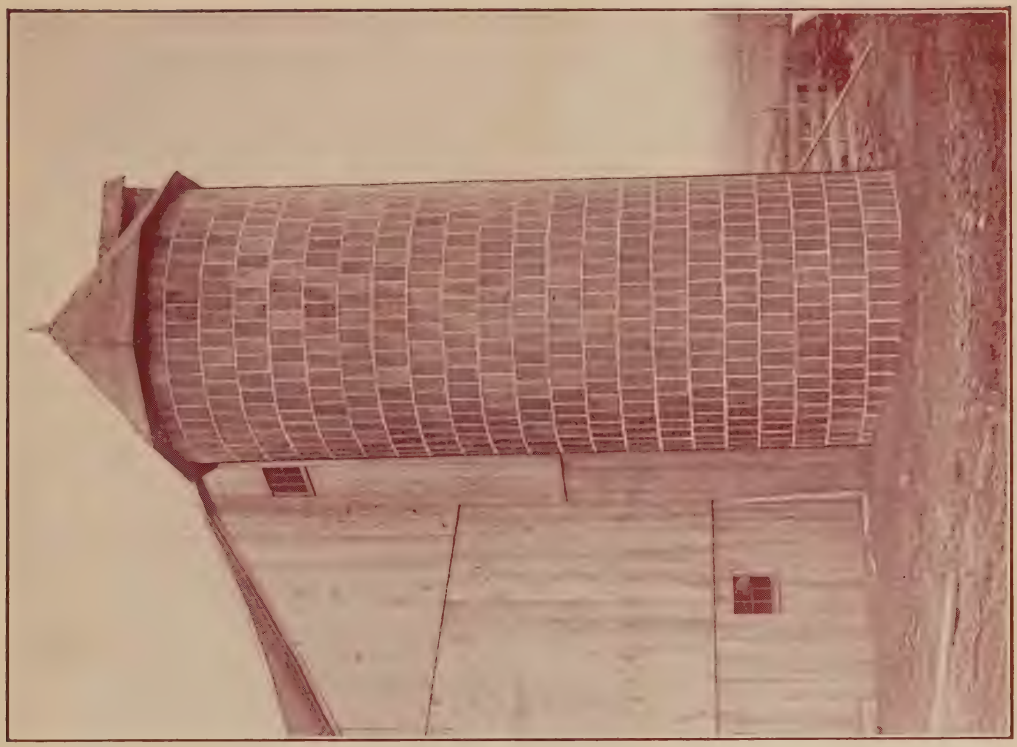

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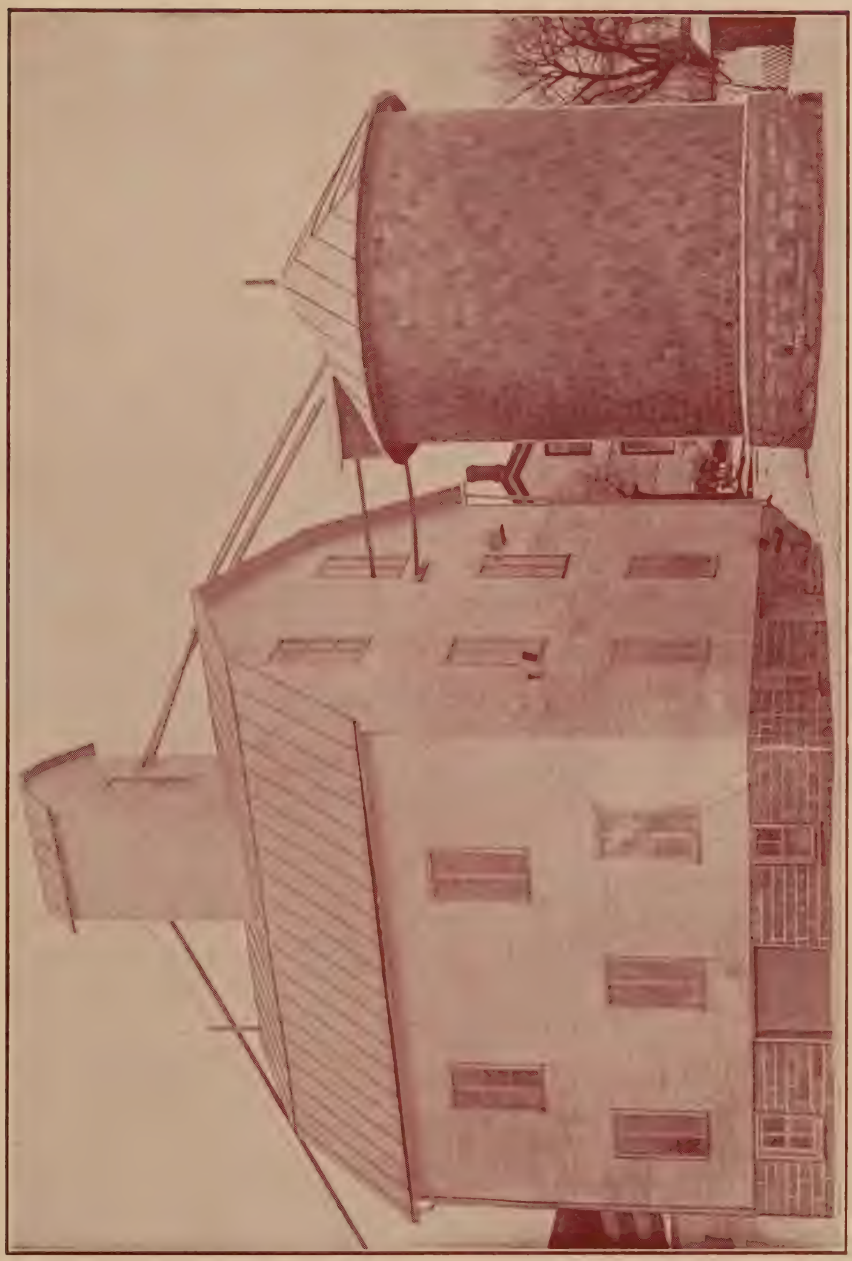

Shiloh Milling Co.

Patent Circular Grain Tank Blocks

Our material has proven a success for the use of Grain Tanks as well as Silos which can be erected at a very moderate cost—a saving of about 70 per cent over other material generally used for this purpose. These tanks can be erected to any diameter.

Following are several testimonials as to tanks built of this material:

GREENFIELD, OHIO, Oct. 28, 1909.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—We have both of our Tanks full of wheat. Just commenced taking some out to grind. The miller complains about the wheat being too dry. That speaks well for the tanks as all the wheat around her was threshed damp.

From our experience so far don't think there is anything better to store grain in.

Respectfully yours,
CASE BROTHERS.

SHILOH, OHIO, Nov., 8, 1909.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Some time ago we agreed to advise you concerning the Block Storage Tank you put up for us last summer.

We tried this tank in different ways; by filling each bin separately and other ways that we thought would be a test for it.

We cannot see that it has had any effect on it and think it very practical for grain storage. There is no question but that it will do the work all right. We have been keeping both wheat and oats in this tank and it has always come out of the bin in an improved condition.

We have not been able to find where there has been any sweating or heating of any kind. We think you will make no mistake by putting up these bins as we think it is a decided success.

Wishing you success in this line, we remain,

Yours truly,
THE SHILOH MILLING CO.

Louisville, Ohio, Jan. 2, 1911.

To Whom It May Concern:

The first Silo erected on my farms was a wooden one. In 1907 I erected my second Silo of your SUCCESS SILO Blocks. I was so well pleased owing to the manner in which it preserved the ensilage that in 1908 I erected another of the same material. I prefer a Block Silo as it will not cost any more to build, needs no paint or repairs like that of a wooden one. Further, I need have no fear of it being blown over by storms and claim that it preserves the ensilage in a superior manner.

It is impossible for a farmer to get along without a Silo if he wishes to prosper as it is a great labor and feed saver. I can highly recommend the Block Silo and if properly erected will last a life time.

Brookside Dairy & Stock Farms,
Lawrence Paumier, Prop.

Canton, Ohio, R. F. D. No. 7, Jan. 15, 1911.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co.,
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—In reference to the Silo I purchased from you in the year 1908 will say, I am highly pleased, as the ensilage keeps perfectly. My Silo is 10 x 34 and cost no more to erect than a wooden one and the silage keeps better. I expect to build another Block Silo the coming season. I do unhesitatingly recommend the Success Silo to any prospective buyer. I am,

Yours respectfully,
Jos. Burger.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Cleveland, O., Dec. 22, 1908.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I am very highly pleased with the Silos and consider this form of Silo the best I have seen. Our experience thus far is that the ensilage keeps perfectly clear up to the wall, but of course we will know better when the winter is past and the Silo is emptied, the full effect of this character of Silo. As far as I have observed it I feel now that no other Silo would be as satisfactory from the standpoint of cheapness and effectiveness than the tile Silo.

Yours very truly,
C. T. Brooks.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Beloit, O., Dec. 22, 1910.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—We built a tile Silo two years ago last fall and have filled it five times and can say that it has given very good satisfaction. The ensilage has kept fine and for strength I think it is as strong a Silo as can be built. Ours stands as straight as the day it was built and we are well pleased with it.

L. J. Shreve.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Medina, O., Jan. 1, 1911.
Louisville, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—I have one of your Hollow Brick Silos and have filled it four years. The ensilage has kept good and I have seen some of my neighbors' wooden silos that I could see through in April after they were emptied. For strength, if I wanted to cable anything I would cable my barn to the Silo. For durability I believe it will last a life time and if I were going to build another Silo it would be a Hollow Brick Silo.

Yours truly,
L. H. Renner.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE *Co.*, GARFIELD, OHIO, Jan. 9, 1911.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I am very much pleased with my Tile Silo as the ensilage keeps good. The Silo is strong and durable and if I were to build another I would build one of the same kind.

Yours truly,

Erected 1906.

HOMER STANLEY,
R. F. D. No. 3.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., BELOIT, OHIO, Jan. 8, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS:—Yours of the 8th inst. received, and note your request which we cheerfully give you.

Our Silo built two years ago of your tile is giving perfect satisfaction. Anyone wishing to build a Silo we would recommend your tile as making the best Silo we know of. If building another would build the same kind. Erected 1907.

Yours truly,
REZIN STANLEY.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., CANTON, OHIO, Jan. 2, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I have been a user of a Silo for five years. My wooden Silo was blown down by a storm and destroyed. My buildings stand high, Silo stands at a stormy place, and after investigation I decided to use your material as a Silo erected of your product is practically indestructible and needs no attention and you need have no fear of their being blown over by storms.

As for the keeping of the ensilage it is second to no other, especially during this mild winter weather. I can highly recommend this Silo to any person wishing to erect one.

Yours very truly,
C. A. PONTIUS.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., ALLIANCE, OHIO, Jan. 9, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

SIRS:—Have been out on the farm looking over the Silos and want to tell you about them. In the "Stave Silo" the feed is fine, but there hasn't been a season that the Silo did not require some repairs, while in the "Tile Silo" the ensilage is just as good as in the "Stave Silo," and I think the Tile Silo is good and sound for years to come.

There is no question in my mind but what the "Tile Silo" is the cheapest and best for any farmer to build.

Very respectfully,
A. L. ATKINSON.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE *Co.*, CANTON, OHIO, Jan. 14, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your request will say, I have built three Silos in my time, two wooden and one of your material. Will say that I greatly prefer your Silo because it keeps the ensilage perfect. I have no trouble to keep it in repair, no hoops to come loose, no painting to be done and no danger of it being blown over. My Silo has a continuous doorway and am well satisfied with its construction.

Anyone contemplating the erection of a Silo I will cheerfully recommend your material. I consider it the best and cheapest that can be built as it lasts many times over the life of other Silos.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN C. MAYER.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Maximo, Ohio, January 2, 1911.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—In regard to testimonial for the Block Silos would say that my experience has been that the ensilage will keep better in a Silo of this kind than in any other I have ever seen regardless of weather—cold or warm. A "Block Silo" is also more substantial and they do not get the air like a wooden Silo and are not affected by storms. My Block Silo was built six years ago and never needs painting or repairing of any kind. There is practically no wear out to a Silo built out of your "Silo Blocks."

Yours very truly,
L. J. Krabill.

Louisville, Ohio, January 3, 1911.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., City.

Gentlemen:—As you have requested me to give you my opinion in regard to the Block Silo, I will do so gladly, as I was one of the first men to build one of these Silos and have never regretted it.

My opinion is that they will out-last any Silo I have ever seen or heard of. I have filled mine three times and have found the silage to keep in first-class condition. One good point about it is that when it is empty in the summer I need not have any fear that it will fall apart, as I have of my wooden one. It also needs no painting which is no small object.

I feel safe to say to any person wishing to erect a substantial Silo that I can highly recommend the Hollow Block Silo. Yours respectfully,
F. C. Yoder.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Hartville, Ohio, February 17, 1908.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I hereby say in regard to the Tile Silo, it is one of the best that the farmers can build for durability, and in regard to the feed I highly recommend Silo feed for all kinds of cattle, especially for milch cows, and further, would say, as feed for sheep and lambs, it is excellent. Erected 1905. Yours truly,
Benton Bixler.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Louisville, O., January 14, 1911.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—The Tile Block Silo purchased from you in 1908 is satisfactory. We are especially pleased with the continuous doors.

With your fairness in dealing with us we can cheerfully recommend your Silo to anyone as it is far the cheapest Silo in the long run.

Yours truly,
Homer & Noah Krabill.

E. Akron, O., R. F. D. No. 20,
Louisville Brick & Tile Co., January 18, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—As you have requested me to give you my opinion in regard to your Block Silo will say, I have investigated the different Silos and I find none to compete with the Block Silo. The ensilage is coming out in good shape and I am perfectly satisfied with my Block Silo. Erected in 1908. Yours truly,
J. T. Britain.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Grafton, Ohio, Dec. 11, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—After having my Stave Silo blown down two years in succession I thought best to erect one that would not blow down. Decided upon your Silo Blocks and I think no wind short of a cyclone could blow this Silo down. At this date the silage is keeping perfectly.

N. B. Nesbitt.
Jamestown, Pa., Dec. 9, 1909.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Chagrin Falls, O., December 24, 1908.

Gentlemen:—Will say in reply to your letter of the 21st that I filled Silo in October and have used about one-half and that ensilage has kept fine. Have not had any to spoil. Cows are looking good.

The durability and strength of the Silo I think is everlasting. When you get the catalogue out I wish you would send me some as I have a great many callers to see the Silo as it is the first one they ever saw of this kind. Yours respectfully,
R. F. D. No. 4. M. H. Stillwell.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Canton, Ohio, Jan. 11, 1911.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—Yours of the 7th at hand and in reply would say as far as durability the tile Silo Block are far superior to any other material for Silo purposes, and as for the keeping of the ensilage, it keeps fine from the center to the tile and from top to bottom. I have had no loss or discount on the contents therein. Erected 1908.

Yours truly,
R. F. D. No. 4. G. A. Klotz.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Berlin Centre, Ohio, January 8, 1911.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—Having built, in 1908, the first Hollow Brick Silo in Berlin, would say my experience has been most satisfactory in feeding all kinds of live stock. I do not see how any farmer can do without a Silo and feed at a profit. I find that silage is an excellent feed for cows. Silo is perfectly satisfactory and will last a life time. People of this neighborhood are interested in this Silo. One dairyman inspecting my silage pronounced it perfect.

I extend to you thanks for courteous treatment and wish you every success. I remain,
As ever,
G. A. Miller.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Limaville, Ohio, Dec. 14, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I find your Interlocking Block Silo all you claim for it. My silage is in good condition. Yours, truly,
H. C. Ware.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., E. Palestine, O., Dec. 13, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—As for a recommendation for your Silos, I can highly recommend them. It makes a very strong and durable Silo. The silage keeps fine—there can be no spoiled silage found anywhere. I think the tile Silos are far better than the wooden Silos for durability and keeping of silage. The tile Silo takes very well in this community.

Yours truly,
Lewis Lipp.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Columbiana, Ohio, Dec. 13, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—In regard to your Silo Blocks they are far ahead of anything on the market for Silo purposes and as far as durability is concerned there is no wear-out to them; and as for the ensilage there is no waste whatever. I can truthfully recommend them in every way. I must say if I were to build a dozen Silos I would build no other kind than your Interlocking Success Silo.

Yours respectfully,
S. J. Heck.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Calla, Ohio, Dec. 18, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—The Silo purchased of you last summer is proving satisfactory in every respect. As for durability and attractiveness your Interlocking Silo certainly can not be beat. The ensilage keeps perfectly and we think a Silo that will last a century or more.

We surely cannot speak too highly of your Tile Silos. Our intention is to build our Silo to the height of 45 feet with another by its side of the same dimensions, making us two Silos 16 x 45 feet for our corn crop.

Built second Silo in 1910.

Yours truly,
N. Beiber & Sons.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Clinton, Ohio, Jan. 24, 1910.
Louisville, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—The Silo built of your Success Silo Blocks is giving perfect satisfaction and gives assurance of lasting many times the life of a wooden tructure and at a very slight increase in cost of construction.

Silos constructed of your material improve the appearance of any set of farm buildings. The ensilage keeps perfectly right to the wall.

We will be pleased to recommend to any one your material and business methods.

Yours truly
Harry D. Swigart.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Alliance, O., Dec. 26, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—The Hollow Block Silo purchased from you last Fall is satisfactory thus far. We can gladly recommend the Continuous Doorway The ensilage keeps perfectly well and durability is all that could be desired.

I thank you for courteous treatment.

Yours truly,
E. M. Johnson.

Louisville Brick & Tile Co., Wellington, Ohio Dec. 27, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—We erected a Silo of Interlocking Silo Blocks received from your firm last Fall. Inside dimensions of Silo are 36½ x 14 1-3 feet. We have had right round zero weather for past week accompanied with high southwest winds and the silage has not frozen in Silo yet.

We are highly pleased with the Silo at this writing, we remain,

Yours respectfully,
White & Allison,
R. F. D. No. 3.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO, Dec. 23, 1908.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—The two Silos erected on my farm this Fall, 15 in diameter, 35 feet high, constructed of your Circular Silo Blocks, have, since their construction, been filled with ensilage, which we are now feeding and which is in every way satisfactory.

The Silos are absolutely perfect in every respect, so far as I am able to judge at this writing, and should endure for centuries. I consider the construction mechanical, and the appearance, inside and outside, is certainly very attractive and even artistic.

I shall take pleasure at any time in speaking or writing further in their praise, if you should see fit to refer any of your prospective customers to me.

Yours truly,
HENRY WICK.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., GRAFTON, O., Dec. 15, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your request for my opinion regarding your Interlocking Silo Blocks for Silo construction will say it gives satisfaction in every particular, and parties in my neighborhood who put up Wooden Silos this year after seeing mine regretted that they did not know of the Tile Blocks for building Silos, as they liked it much better than the wooden ones.

Yours very truly,
E. J. MORAN.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., NEW MILFORD, O., Dec. 13, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your inquiry about our Silo, I will say we are well pleased with it. The ensilage is as green now as it was when it was put in and the cows like it. As to durability I think it superior to a wooden Silo. We also like the Continuous Doorway.

Respectfully yours,
ERNEST PAULUS,
R. F. D. No. 17.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., ALLIANCE, O. Dec. 14, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—We are greatly pleased with our Silo and think it is the best way of constructing one by using your Interlocking Blocks. It is surely the most durable and keeps the silage well. Think it absolutely the best thing for dairying.

Truly,
JACOB PAULI.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., GRAFTON, O., Dec. 16th, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS:—In reply to your letter of the 9th inst., will say the Interlocking Silo Blocks are all right for durability and keeping of silage. Mechanics that pass by here tell me of their own accord I have the best Silo around here. Better than all others for strength and durability.

We have four rows of cows and two aisles. Ten cows in each row. Our Silo is in the middle of the gable end and by using two tracks we run our box of silage over the cows' backs to firsth aisle, feed twenty head, run it on to the next aisle, feed twenty more. It works complete.

Yours truly,
H. H. HITCHCOCK.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., CANTON, OHIO, January 1, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—The Silo I purchased from you has proven a success. It has cured my ensilage in a perfect manner and know that a Silo of your construction positively requires no attention. I am so well pleased with your Silo that I expect in the early spring to build it about 6 to 8 feet higher owing to the fact that I have increased my Dairy Stock. Originally it was built 14 feet in diameter and 30 feet in height. This Silo can be erected at a very moderate cost which no farmer can profitably be without.

I can highly recommend your Silo to any prospective purchaser.

Respectfully,

Canton, O., R. D. No. 6. JAC. ISLER.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Beg to say that we furnished one of your Interlocking Silos to the Jersey Meadows Farm here at Jamestown. This Silo has been filled with ensilage and it keeps perfectly. It is the admiration of all the farmers in this section and we are satisfied you will be called upon to furnish quite a number in this section. It is not only handsome, but the consensus of opinion is that it is far superior to concrete or any other Silo extant.

Yours truly,
JAMESTOWN PAINT & VARNISH CO.,
Per W. H. Ehrhart, Sec. & Treas.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., E. ROCHESTER, O., Dec. 13, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Yours of the 8th inst. received, and in reply will say we put nine acres of well eared ensilage corn in our Silo and opened it November 1st. There was 4" spoiled on top and from there down as far as we have fed, it is just fine. Just as good next to the tile as in the center.

As to the life of your Success Silo, it looks to me as they ought to stand for ages. If I were to build another it would be one of your Circular Interlocking Block Silos.

Yours truly,
A. L. ELTON.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., LIMAVILLE, OHIO, Dec. 23, 1909.
Louisville, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS:—In reply to yours of the 9th inst. will say, we are perfectly pleased with our Silo built of your Interlocking Silo Blocks. Don't know of any reason why these Silos should not last a life time. Our ensilage is in excellent condition. All our stock like it and will leave good hay any time for the silage. It would have been impossible to have wintered all our stock without the Silo.

Yours truly,
R. F. D. No. 1. JOHN WHITACRE.

MARS, PA., Dec. 24, 1909.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO..
Louisville, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS:—I would say the Interlocking Silo Blocks for Silo construction are entirely satisfactory, as the Silo went up satisfactorily. I think for durability there could be no better.

Yours truly,
J. A. KENNEDY.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO., ATWATER, OHIO, Jan. 2, 1910.
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—As you requested me to give you my opinion about my Silo built of your Success Silo Blocks, I must say that I am well pleased with it at this writing. This is my first experience in a Silo. The ensilage keeps fine; it had spoiled some on top around the outside, but is all O. K. now.

As far as durability is concerned I think it would last a life time. They cost a little more at first to put them up, but I think they are the cheapest in the end; besides being very ornamental. There is absolutely no danger of storm blowing them over, or falling apart when empty. This is the first Silo of the kind in this community and I believe it will help you along with your Success Silo Blocks.

Yours respectfully,
F. W. PAULUS.

NEWTON FALLS, OHIO, Jan. 12, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Replying to your favor, we consider your Success Silo all that its name implies and doubt very much if it can be improved. The first cost is rather high, but in the long run it is surely the cheapest as well as the best.

Hope to erect another next summer.

Yours truly,
F. E. COREY.

WADSWORTH, OHIO, Dec. 11, 1909.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—This morning I feel like writing a little essay entitled "How I Like My Silo."

This is my first year in the use of a Silo and whatever I say I trust shall not be misconstrued, as I know comparatively little about either Silos or ensilage.

From what I have learned of other makes and my own experience with the Louisville Hollow Block there is scarcely any need of comparison. The blocks are Interlocking and do lock. When I talk with men having Wooden Silos and they tell me their Silos have been in use five or six years, and then almost invariably end up by saying that they are beginning to rot, or that some parts are rotted through, then especially do I appreciate having something that resists decay.

As to ensilage keeping in the Block Silos, if the cattle were able to speak my writing would be mild. But they tell me how they like their feed by the increase in the flow of milk, and the eagerness with which they eat the feed. Though inexperienced, I boldly say, buy a Silo which will stand in wind and weather ready at any time to be refilled. In short, buy a Louisville Hollow Block one.

It would be unjust not to speak of the kind, courteous way of dealing which has always been enjoyed from the Manufacturers of these Silos. In my case they certainly treated me very nicely. I can recommend the Hollow Block Silo to any one, both for durability of construction and a good feeding ensilage.

Thanking you again, I am yours, N. A. LIND.

P. S.—W. H. Baker, an expert in Concrete Work, and author of several volumes on Concrete Construction which have been widely circulated, laid up my Silo Blocks. Mr. Baker said: "The Interlocking Blocks are the most scientifically constructed of anything I have ever seen in Hollow Block work." And as for strength Mr. Baker said, "The Interlocking device makes the structure strong enough to be used as a stand-pipe for a water works." Those who have read Mr. Baker's books and know his ability appreciate his ability to make the above statements. N. A. L.

WADSWORTH, OHIO, Dec. 15, 1910

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Replying to yours of the 14th will say that I consider your material for Silo construction the very best upon the market. I think it is in a class entirely by itself. Were I building again I would not consider any other material as worthy of mention in comparison with yours. "Erected 1908."

Yours truly,
A. G. ABBOTT.

NORTH BLOOMFIELD, OHIO, Jan. 2, 1911.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS:—In regard to your Silo, I am very well satisfied and feel sure that it is the best grade of Silo on the market. The silage keeps sweet and fresh and the cows like it better than grain. I would not be without it and think every farmer should have a Silo from your factory. "Erected 1909."

Sincerely yours,
W. J. VENN.

ELYRIA, OHIO, Dec. 19, 1910

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—After looking for several years to find something satisfactory in the Silo line I finally discovered one of "Hollow Blocks" and was so well pleased with its appearance that I built two and have had more visitors and inquiry with regard to them than anything I ever built. I must say that their appearance and keeping quality seem to be perfect.

Yours truly,
P. K. CLARK.

HOMEWORTH, OHIO, Dec. 19, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I wish to express to you our entire satisfaction with the Tile Silo purchased of you a year ago. I am glad to note, too, that several Tile Silos have been bought of you by my neighbors since the erection of mine.

Yours truly,
S. D. SANOR.

ATWATER, OHIO, Dec. 17, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—The Tile Silo I had erected in 1909 is giving entire satisfaction and the silage keeps good in it, and it is much less trouble than some other kinds. Hence I can safely recommend a Silo of your make.

Yours Respectfully,
ED. COBBS.

AKRON, OHIO, Dec. 18, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—In answer to your inquiry of the 14th, will say that I am well pleased with your Silo material and can safely recommend your Silos to any prospective buyers. "Erected 1909."

Yours truly,
W. C. KEENAN.

MORENCI, MICH., Dec. 20, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to yours of the 14th, will say that I have filled the block Silo the second time and like it better every day. The ensilage keeps much better in it than in the wood and my wooden Silo has blown off the foundation three times since I put it up; so I consider your Silo the best on the market.

Yours truly,
J. A. GARROW.

WINDHAM, OHIO, Jan. 4, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—My father and I now have five Silos and three of them are of your tile. We went to visit a solid concrete Silo in the coldest winter weather and found the ensilage frozen nearly solid. We then visited a wooden stave Silo and found the ensilage frozen about one-third of the way in; then we visited the Tile Silo and found that the ensilage only froze a few inches. We expect to put up two more this summer. This is the best evidence we have that the Tile Silo is the best.

Yours very truly,
J. F. HUDSON.

MASSILLON, OHIO, R. F. D. No. 4, Dec. 27, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I wish to say that your Block Silos are certainly a success. I have filled my Silo twice and the silage has and is keeping well. Were I to build another Silo I would certainly not use anything but your material.

Respectfully yours,
GEO. M. SNYDER.

CLINTON, OHIO, Dec. 17, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I have used my Silo of your make two years and like it very much in every respect. I would advise every young man starting to farm to erect a "Louisville Silo" for he will never need another, as it will be there when he quits farming.

Yours respectfully,
IRA F. MEESE, R. F. D. No. 36.

LOUISVILLE, OHIO, R. D., Dec. 21, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your inquiry regarding my Tile Silo, will say that I like it very well. Just filled and used out of it once and did not find any ensilage spoiled. I think they are superior to wood, as they will not absorb any of the moisture of the silage, which is detrimental to it. The Tile Silo needs no paint and will not collapse when empty. In construction they are the best I have seen.

Yours truly,
G. H. KRYDER.

ALLIANCE, OHIO, Dec. 17, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—We think that the material used in your Silos is certainly the very best we have ever seen, and the ensilage keeps perfectly. "Erected 1908."

Yours truly,
C. R. GANTZ.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Dec. 15, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—The Silo that we put up last year, which you furnished us, has been most satisfactory, and the best part of it is that it is not necessary to paint it, nor is it necessary to tighten any iron hoops; so that while the initial expense is a little more, the ultimate expense in five or ten years would be much less.

Yours respectfully,
HAL HILL, Hilltop Farm,
Wyckliffe, Lake Co., O.

MAXIMO, OHIO, Jan. 3, 1911.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS:—The Silo which I purchased from you has thus far proved very satisfactory, and can recommend it to any one needing a Silo. Erected 1909.

Yours truly,
SAMUEL WALTI.

PARIS, OHIO, Dec. 20, 1910.

LOUISVILLE BRICK & TILE CO.,
Louisville, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Your letter of the 15th at hand and noted. In reply would say the material in your Silo Block seems, from my three years' experience with my Silo, to be all that you claim for them.

Very respectfully,
V. W. SHEATSLEY.